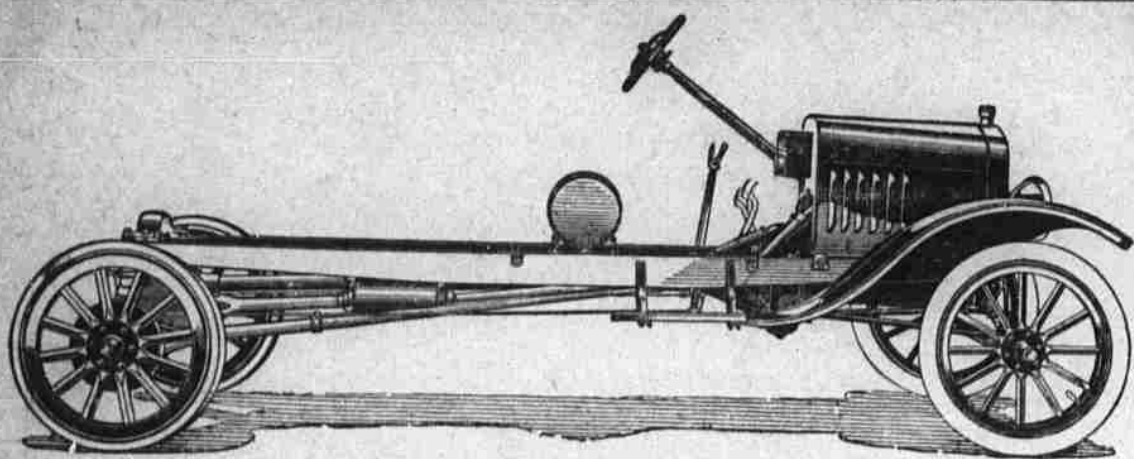


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FORD

The Universal Car

I have just received notice from the Ford Motor Company that they are beginning to manufacture cars and will soon be ready to fill orders. On account of the scarcity of labor and material they have requested their agents to procure orders and file them and all orders will be filled by the company in the order they are filed. So it will be necessary to have your order on file with your agent and he with the company in order to get your car when you want it. Agents are required to take orders on blanks furnished by the company, and purchaser is required to make a cash deposit of \$25 with the order. The prices are unchanged and will remain so for some time. Price of 5 Passenger Touring Car \$525 F. O. B. Detroit, Mich. Price of Ford truck without body \$550. Remember, you can not wait until spring to get your order in. They will be filled in the order in which they are filed.

Augustus Snyder

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HORSEFORD.

School is progressing nicely at this place with Add Skeens, teacher. Mrs. Add Skeens and son, Scott, were shopping at Catalpa Monday. Misses Ruth and Aagall Skeens were shopping at Huletts Saturday. Mr. Henry Woods has returned to his home here from Radnor, W. Va. Misses Ruth and Virginia Skeens of this place were calling on Miss Bertha Layne of Huletts Sunday. The fix is raging at this place. Miss Oma Skeens was shopping in Louisa one day last week. Misses Abigail Skeens, Edith Alley and Eliza Akers were shopping at Fullers Thursday. Miss Ellen Skeens was at Catalpa Saturday. Mr. Oksa Billups and Hubert Skeens were calling on their best girl Sunday.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BANNER AUXILIARY, WALBRIDGE.

Amount of money raised by Auxiliary, \$262.41, and raised in pledges, \$527 of which most has already been paid.

Secured more than 100 members. We have met some opposition but this shows us we must work harder than ever. There are a few who have not even done their bit by joining, but on the whole we have a band of willing workers.

Civilian relief has been at work helping even those who would not so much as boost the Red Cross. Mrs. Sammie Clark and Mrs. Marguerite Stump being relief workers.

Sewing and knitting as follows: 56 pairs of socks, 6 pairs of wristlets, 16 sweaters, 2 helmets, 30 petticoats, 4 shirts, and 5 pairs of bed socks.

We hope to make the next drive the biggest yet. SAMMIE F. CLARK, Chairman. MARIE HOLT, Secretary. JOCK C. SEET, Treasurer.

NOTICE.

I now have in my hands funds to pay all outstanding county claims for both common and Road and Bridge, from Nov. 1925 to 1926, allowed at the October term, 1917, and payable out of the levy for the year 1918. Also all outstanding claims issued at the April term, and payable out of the levy for the year 1918, common fund, from Nov. 1 to 175, and Road and Bridge claims allowed at the April term, 1918, and payable out of the levy from the year 1918, from Nos. 72 to 82.

Those holding any claims as set out above will call at the county treasurer's office and present their claims for payment at once.

Yours,
W. T. CAIN,
Co. Treas. Lawrence Co.

A carload of pity is not worth a handful of help.

Carry sunshine in all your walks of life.

**KEPT PLEDGE
TO SEND BREAD**

American Nation Maintained Allied Loaf Through Self-Denial at Home Table.

AVERTED EUROPEAN DESPAIR.

With Military Demands Upon Ocean Shipping Relieved, World is Able to Return to Normal White Wheat Bread.

Since the advent of the latest wheat crop the only limitation upon American exports to Europe has been the shortage of shipping. Between July 1 and October 10 we shipped 65,080,300 bushels. If this rate should continue until the end of the fiscal year we will have furnished the Allies with more than 287,500,000 bushels of wheat and flour in terms of wheat.

The result of increased production and conservation efforts in the United States has been that with the cessation of hostilities we are able to return to a normal wheat diet. Supplies that have accumulated in Australia, Argentina and other hitherto inaccessible markets may be tapped by ships released from transport service, and European demand for American wheat probably will not exceed our normal surplus. There is wheat enough available to have a white loaf at the common table.

But last year the tale was different. Only by the greatest possible saving and sacrifice were we able to keep a steady stream of wheat and flour moving across the sea. We found ourselves at the beginning of the harvest year with an unusually short crop. Even the most optimistic statisticians figured that we had a bare surplus of 20,000,000 bushels. And yet Europe was facing the probability of a bread famine—and in Europe bread is by far the most important article in the diet.

All of this surplus had left the country early in the fall. By the first of the year we had managed to ship a little more than 50,000,000 bushels by practicing the utmost economy at home—by wheatless days, wheatless meals, heavy substitution of other cereals and by sacrifice at almost every meal throughout the country. In January the late Lord Rhonda, then British Food Controller, cabled that only if we sent an additional 75,000,000 bushels before July 1 could he take the responsibility of assuring his people that they would be fed.

The response of the American people was 55,000,000 bushels safely delivered overseas between January 1 and July 1. Out of a harvest which gave us only 20,000,000 bushels surplus we actually shipped 141,000,000 bushels.

Thus did America fulfill her pledge that the Allied bread ration could be maintained, and already the American people are demonstrating that, with an awakened war conscience, last year's figures will be bettered.

Our exports since the country entered the war have justified a statement made by the Food Administration shortly after its inception, outlining the principles and policies that would govern the solution of this country's food problems. "The whole foundation of democracy," declared the Food Administration, "lies in the individual initiative of its people and their willingness to serve the interests of the nation with complete self-effacement in the time of emergency. Democracy can yield to discipline, and we can solve this food problem for our own people and for the Allies in this way. To have done so will have been a greater service than our immediate objective, for we have demonstrated the righteousness of our faith and our ability to defend ourselves without being Prussianized."

Sending to Europe 141,000,000 bushels of wheat from a surplus of apparently nothing was the outstanding exploit of the American food army in the critical year of the war.

**GREATEST OPPORTUNITY
WOMEN EVER HAD.**

It was given to the women of this country to perform the greatest service in the winning of the war vouchsafed to any women in the history of the wars of the world—to feed the warriors and the war sufferers. By the arts of peace, the practice of simple, homely virtues the womanhood of a whole nation served humanity in its profoundest struggle for peace and freedom.

First call to food army. This co-operation and service I ask of all in full confidence that America will render more for flag and freedom than king, ridden people surrender at compulsion.—Herbert Hoover, Aug. 10, 1917.

A year ago voluntary food control was a daring adventure in democracy; during the year an established proof of democratic efficiency.

**Our Good Clothes
Make the Most
Sensible Gifts**

IN THE LONG RUN QUALITY ALWAYS COUNTS. OUR SPECIALTY, AS OUR CUSTOMERS KNOW, IS MEN'S CLOTHING OF THE DEPENDABLE SORT—THE KIND THAT ALWAYS SATISFIES YOU.

Sensible Gift Suggestions:

MEN'S AND BOYS' OVERCOATS—A thoroughly good and dependable line, priced as low as quality garments can be sold.

MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS—Durable, Snappy up-to-date styles for young or old men.

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Two-piece or union suits, in wool or cotton. Complete line.

Shirts

The men and boys all wear 'em. They make nice gifts.

Hats

We handle the well-know Stetson make, also other good ones.

Sweaters

A complete assortment for men and boys. All colors.

Neckwear

The newest winter shades and colorings. Always a popular gift.

Other Sensible Gift Articles

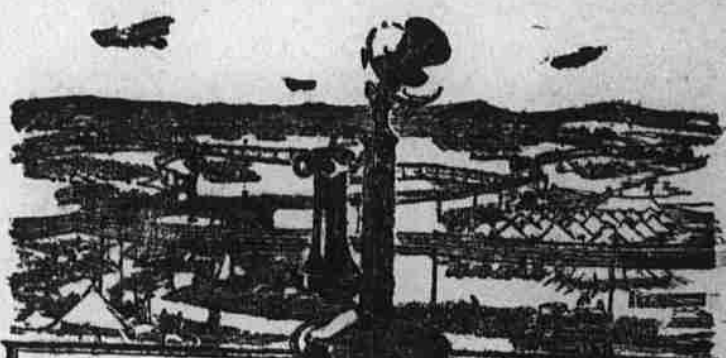
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The Bell system has enlisted every resource at its command and offered all unreservedly to the government.

This, together with the immensely increased commercial demand for service, the general shortage of materials, and the enlistment and draft of a large number of technically trained employees who cannot be replaced, will, it is hoped, be borne in mind by every loyal American if there should later result the necessity for subordinating private convenience to the pressing needs of the government.

We are not sitting idly by and waiting for a bright day when our money can buy equipment. We are using every means at our command to keep our service up to its usual high standard. You will want to help because you will be helping your own service and enabling us to do a better job for Uncle Sam.

We appreciate co-operation.

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Stories first heard at mother's knee are never forgotten. It is the same with some other things received at our mother's knee which readily occur to our readers.

The sunbeam is composed of millions of minute rays; so home light must be constituted of little tender-nesses, kindly looks, sweet laughter and loving words.

Home is a place where a man can do as he pleases—if he is married to the right woman.

Keep the rooms sweet and pure by ventilation. For this reason air and sunshine are free.

Be like the harvest of this year—good and generous.

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